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PRESS RELEASE

Offender Erroneously Released from Howard R. Young Correctional Institution

An inmate at Howard R. Young Correctional Institution (HRYCI) in Wilmington was erroneously released on Friday due to a staff error.

Charles H. Thomas, 40, arrived at HRYCI on January 14 facing new charges and was improperly released on February 20. Department of Correction officers, as well as additional State and local law enforcement agencies, have begun a search to bring him back into custody.

Thomas is a black male who is 5'10", weighs 245 pounds and has black hair and brown eyes. He is awaiting court action on charges of Carrying a Concealed Deadly Weapon, Possession of Shoplifting Tools, Possession of a Firearm During the Commission of a Felony and Attempted Robbery 1st, among other charges. His total bail had been set at \$108,000.

Thomas is considered dangerous, so anyone with information on this offender is asked to call: 800-542-9524 or their local police department.



Charles H. Thomas

Date of Birth: 02/06/1969

Last known address: New Castle, DE

Race/Gender: Black/Male

Height: 5'10"

Weight: 245

Eyes: Brown

Hair: Black

Mustache/Beard/Goatee: Beard with mustache & goatee